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**From:** Zito, Kelly  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 19, 2014 12:56 PM  
**To:** Blumenfeld, Jared  
**Subject:** Re: Malibu Community Public Meeting on School Contamination Cancelled

Yes - we did. Meeting has been cancelled...

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**From:** Blumenfeld, Jared  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 19, 2014 12:20:19 PM  
**To:** Zito, Kelly  
**Subject:** Fw: Malibu Community Public Meeting on School Contamination Cancelled  
I thought we declined.

Jared Blumenfeld, EPA

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**From:** Mary Linden  
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**Cc:** Jim Thorsen; Reva Feldman  
**Subject:** FW: Malibu Community Public Meeting on School Contamination Cancelled

Good morning –

The City of Malibu recently sent you an invitation asking for your office's participation in an important town hall meeting scheduled in Malibu on August 21. Unfortunately, that meeting had to be cancelled as all the parties were not available to provide necessary information from all sides of the issue. Below is a copy of the media release sent out yesterday afternoon regarding the cancellation.

We appreciate your consideration of our request to participate and will contact you again when the community meeting is rescheduled.

Have a wonderful week!

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**Subject:** Malibu Community Public Meeting on School Contamination Cancelled

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## **Malibu Community Public Meeting on School Contamination Cancelled**

August 18, 2014 (Malibu, CA) - The City announced today that the public meeting to discuss the environmental contamination at Malibu High School and Juan Cabrillo Elementary that was scheduled for Thursday, August 21, at Malibu City Hall, has been cancelled.

Councilmembers Laura Rosenthal and John Sibert cited uncertainties about the availability of all parties and agencies central to the issue of the contamination to fully participate at this time.

It was their intention to ensure that the community stakeholders would be offered a balanced, complete, and impartial informational forum, which would only be possible with the participation of all of the relevant parties and agencies.

“Despite everyone’s best efforts, we could not guarantee that this event would offer the full discussion and presentation of information that parents and other school community members need and was our goal,” said Councilmember Laura Rosenthal.

“We are committed to staying engaged with this important issue, and we will continue to seek appropriate ways to assist Malibu parents in obtaining the most accurate, up-to-date, impartial information they need to make their own decisions,” added Councilmember Sibert. “We will also encourage the parties to work together to find a resolution that best addresses the concerns of the community,” added Councilmember Sibert. “We are not going to give up.”

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